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"The Ottawa Spotlight"

By Wilfrid Eggleston

A Weekly Review of National Affairs

Ottawa, August 26th,— The employment situation in Canada, in general, is far more hopeful than seemed possible a few months ago. This is emphasized by the first annual interim report of the National Employment Commission. As recovery proceeds, unsuspected new problems are of coures coming forward. At present, for instance, while there are probably 200,000 employable people in Canada out of work, there are also acute shortages in certain skilled trades and occupations. Unfortunately, once the first advance of industry has absorbed all those most willing and most able to get back into industry, the next wave finds a hard 'core' of unemployed who cannot easily get work even when there is plenty available. We shall soon have almost as serious distress in some branches of industry because of inability to find persons to fill jobs, as we have had because of the lack of jobs. It will be something fine and inspiring, however, to reach a state where there is opportunity for work again for all those who can be trained for the task. Such a state should be reached, according to the views of the National Employment Commission, by perhaps another year of advance such as the last one has seen.

The Situation at Present

What is the present employment situation in Canada? The commission recently issued a brief summary, which is still further condensed here.

1 A vigorous increase in Canadian employment soundly based on expanding exports at improved prices plus renewed investment of capital.

2 Certain 'spots' where recovery has lagged or failed, such as the drought areas.

3 Agencies of re-employment are uncoordinated and ill-equipped.

4 A system of aid is in vogue without adequate safeguards, tending to discourage re-employment.

5 A fluctuating and exensive policy of public works for providing employment..

6 Those unemployed rapidly deteriorating in employability.

7 An emergency winter problem of single homeless adults who tend to concentrate in urban areas.

Plans for the Future

The Employment Commission, having 'sized up' the problem, suggests that the following steps be taken.

(a) Launch a comprehensive housing policy, including assistance to low-rental housing.

(b) Re-organize and extend the Employment Service, to increase the efficiency of placement.

(c) Revise the system of grants-in-aid.

(d) Organize a Dominion-Provincial program of reconditioning, for those who have been unemployed, to assist them get in shape to compete in the labor market.

(e) Curtail public works to release funds for more effective attacks on the unemployment problem.

(f) Organize a farm placement plan and a supplementary plan to meet the winter emergency problem, to take care of upwards of 50,000 persons.

A Grave Step

When the Mackenzie King government disallowed three Alberta measures it exercised what was a disagreeable duty with serious political implications. Though disallowance has been exercised 113 times since Confederation, in recent years the practice has almost become obsolete.

The Ottawa view was that the Alberta measures clearly violated the spirit and letter of the British North American Act, and threatened to confuse and disorganize the business of the province and to some extent of the Dominion. Also that to deny citizens of Alberta the courts of law was a retrograde step which a free country could not permit.

The Royal Commission on taxation and social legislation will soon begin hearings. While there have been criticisms that eminent financial authorities were not included, on the whole the personnel has been greeted with general approval. A few years ago a British authority would almost certainly have been included, but we are swinging away from that theory to the view that Canadians are best fitted to study Canadian problems.

THE DINOSAURS AT ST. GEORGE'S ISLAND PARK

A visit to the Natural History Park on St. George's Island, Calgary will well repay, and an interesting and profitable hour can be spent there by all.

On entering the Park with its pleasing arrangements of green lawns and bright hued flowers one's eye is caught by a gigantic, life sized 120 ton concrete Brontosaurus, 40 foot high, 107 foot long, a monstrous animal that would be a bad thing to contact in a yachting vessel. There are many other interesting objects. Go and see them. The Natural History Park was officially presented to the City of Calgary by Hon. R. B. Bennett and accepted by Mayor Davison Wednesday. Dr O. H. Patrick as chairman of the Zoological Society has been a zealous worker in gathering teh collection.

Years of effort and thousands of dollars have been necessary for the local zoological society to bring the Natural History Park to its present high standard.'

The dinosaur park, the only one of its kind in the world aside from one in Hamburg, Germany boasts more than a score of specimens, many of them life sized.

GOLF AT INGLEWOOD

About 30 of Strathmore's golfers motored to Inglewood Sunday last to enjoy a friendly game. A hidden hole contest was put on by the Inglewood Ladies the prize being won by Mildred Marcum. Refreshments were served. The weather was ideal and all thoroughly enjoyed the outing.

"I don't agree with the common view that we are on the verge of another great war."— Jan C. Smuts.

Local News Items

Miss Helen Peter and her cousin, Miss Betty Curren of Seattle, Wash. motored down from Calgary on Thursday to visit the former's aunt and uncle, Mr and Mrs C. Scott of Strathmore.

Mrs Wm. Byars returned to Scotland Sunday last after a two months visit with her two daughters Mrs G. McLaughlan of Vancouver and Mrs A. P. Scott of Strathmore.

Harold Douglas left Monday night for San Francisco where he has located a good job.

Max Walls returned Friday from Dillon, Colorado where he spent six weeks with his brother Winslow and his wife, at their Summit Ranch.

Mr Norman Ellis has been appointed to the staff of the Strathmore School to fill Mr Cameron's position during the latter's leave of absence.

Mrs Van Tighem, Leonard and Clarence returned Sunday from a very enjoyable trip to the coast and points en route.

Mrs McGregor entertained at a very select Breakfast Party Sunday last Covers were laid for six.

Miss Pauline Powers of Calgary has enjoyed a visit with Mrs Wm. Risdon and family during the past week.

Mrs Mitchell of Calgary was a Strathmore visitor over the week end at the home of Mrs Moore.

Mr Rod Robertson of California was a week end guest at the home of Mrs T. B. Hughes.

Mr and Mrs T. E. H. Patteson returned Friday from a very enjoyable motor trip to Vancouver.

Mrs J. J. Hall returned to Calgary Saturday after spending the week with Mr and Mrs Cecil Lambert.

Mr and Mrs Shrimpton, Helen, Doug, Eileen Werling and Max Walls motored to Rowley Sunday where they visited Mrs Shrimpton's brother and his wife, Mr and Mrs Barnett.

Frances Jones returned Saturday from a visit to Hardisty.

Mrs Libin left Wednesday for Banff where she will spend several days.

The Ladies Aid of United Church will hold their first meeting for the Fall Season at the home of Mrs Earl Gillespie, Calgary, Thursday, Sept. 2.

Mr and Mrs McParland and children returned Sunday from a jolly holiday in the mountains.

Informal bridge parties arranged in honor of Miss Maisie Durnford who was the guest last week of the Misses Maud and Mildred Marcum were given by Miss Mida Hughes, Mrs T. S. Hughes and Maud and Mildred, jolly social gatherings being enjoyed in each case.

We are very pleased to report that Mr Jullion is recovering nicely from a slight illness he suffered early in the week.

EXCELLENT SHOWING MADE BY STRATHMORE HOLSTEINS

Following is a list of the ribbons won by the C. P. R. Strathmore Farm show herd at the five prairie shows with 13 head.

Brandon— 5 firsts, 6 seconds, 6 thirds, 6 championships including Gr. Ch. Female.

Calgary— 7 firsts, 8 seconds, 5 thirds, 5 championships.

Edmonton— 8 firsts, 7 seconds, 2 thirds, 6 championships.

Saskatoon— 7 firsts, 8 seconds, 1 third, 5 championships.

Regina— 9 firsts, 5 seconds, 2 thirds, 7 championships.

Congratulations to Mr Art Hay and his co-workers in this splendid showing.

FIRST AID LECTURE COURSE

Frederick Blakeman, First Aid instructor of the Company's Western Lines will conduct a series of First Aid Lectures at the Irrigation Office, Strathmore, commencing Monday, August 30th at 8 o'clock and continuing each Monday until a total of 6 Lectures have been given. The Lectures are quite interesting and Mr Blakemman uses a Motion Picture machine to illustrate his talks.

A cordial invitation to attend is extended all Strathmore residents. The Lectures are free to any one attending, and should prove very interesting and instructive.

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THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange

Director "Crop Testing Plan"

More "purchasing power". That's what is needed!

On all sides we hear of this need today. Discussion about it ranges all the way from dignified debate to acrimonious dispute.

It is quite apparent, however, that much of the argument is wasted energy, for those who are discussing and disputing have often different ideas as to just what they mean by "purchasing power."

For instance; farmers who may have a thousand dollars today some times consider they have the same "purchasing power" as a farmer who had a thousand dollars in 1913. What they have is the same "spending power" but the "purchasing power" is less, because a thousand dollars today wil lonly purchase about 74 per cent of the goods it would purchase in 1913.

A German miller with a million Marks has the same "spending power" as he had in 1913, but his "purchasing power", in German goods would not be more than about 75 per cent as compared with 1913, and his "purchasing power" in Canadian wheat might be nothing at all, unless his Marks can be exchanged for Canadian dollars, which is only possible if the German people can sell their own goods abroad.

So here the one expression, "purchasing power," has three entirely distinct meanings.

Following factors have tended to raise price— Canadian wheat carryover down to 37 million— Australian wheat crop privately estimated at 140 million— Moisture in Southern Hemisphere still somewhat deficient— Increased hostilities between China and Japan— Germany buying Argentine corn— Italy purchasing American wheat— Money inflation apparently beginning to be felt in prices of commodities.

Following factors have tended to lower price— Broomhall estimates world's import demands will be 496 million— Russia offering wheat freely— Estimate Italian wheat crop 295 vs. 225 last year— Indian wheat estimates 336 million vs. 352 last year— Danubian countries will have generous supplies for export— Heavy export of citrus fruits from Palestine.

MORATORIUM IS APPROVED BY CABINET

Edmonton, Aug. 25 — All corporations will be prevented from collecting debts in Alberta under terms of an order in council given final approval by the provincial cabinet, Premier Aberhart announced late Tuesday at the end of a three hour cabinet meeting.

The order in council, authorizing the second moratorium in the province this year, will be signed Tuesday by Lieutenant-Governor J. C. Bowen. Details of the moratorium, calculated to prevent collection of money for transfer outside the province, were withheld pending signing of the order.

The moratorium, said by Premier Aberhart to have been forced by Ottawa's drastic action on behalf of the Bank of Canada and the chartered banks," will be in effect until next March 1, and will be extended from that date until financial problems have been 'clarified" to make it unnecessary.

All members of the cabinet but Provincial Secretary E. C. Manning and Hon. D. B. Mullen, Minister of Agriculture, attended the session at which consideration of the order was completed.

Private individual will not be affected by the moratorium and their debts will continue to come under the Debt Adjustment Act, broadened at the June session of the Legislature to protect all debtors instead of only resident farmers and home owners.

SIR GEORGE PAISH WRITES IMPORTANT SERIES

Sir G. Paish, economic adviser to the Treasury of the United Kingdom, writing in the Financial Post says—

The dangerous situation which the conference at the World Economic Conference foreaw in 1933 is rapidly arising and the author of this series warns us that if the policy now being pursued by every nation is continued it will "amount to political and economic suicide" What policy?

Let me state at once that I should not place this grave situation before you did I not realize that it can be changed if everyone can be caused to realize its gravity and so be prepared to act with understanding and common sense. The present danger has arisen in the main because everyone is working in a separate compartment and does not understand or appreciate the relationship of his own activities to the common activities of his fellow men. This applies to nations as well as individuals.

Sir George Paish, it will be remembered, won world fame in 1928 when he forecast the complete collapse of world prosperity.

COMING EVENTS

An Important meeting of the School Fair Executive will be held in the High School Friday, September 3 at 5 p.m. All members urged to attend.

CANADIAN LEGION PICNIC

The Legion Picnic held at Wyndham Park last Saturday was well attended and a real family gathering. The weather was ideal, and it was a very happy company that partook of the many good things to eat. The youngsters sure enjoyed themselves. One thought he had the limit when he boasted of having no less than eleven ice cream cones, only to have the honour disputed by another who laid claim to the maximum of thirteen. The juvenile members, no account taken of ages, exhibited great rivalary in the sports. The softball game occasioned much merriment to players and spectators, the final score being still a matter of debate. Bill Springthorpe who acted as umpire claims his rulings were impartial in spite of heated arguments to the contrary. The general opinion that Bill favours the gentler sex. Didn't the ladies enjoy seeing the men wash the dishes. T. E. H. Patteson will think twice the next time he lets the world know how well he can make tea. J. W. Robison's bright red truck was the most popular means of transportation. Thanks are due to W. I. MacKenzie, J. B. Watson and R. E. Gray for the capable way the picnic was arranged. It was a most successful outing, and next years' will be a bigger and if possible a better affair.

C. W. N. A. OFFICERS FOR 1938

Geo. W. James of Bowmanville, editor of The Statesman was elected President of the annual Dominion Convention of Weekly Papers held recently in Halifax. 1st Vice President— Frank J. Burns of Kentville, N. S. 2nd Vice President— H. T. Halliwel, Coleman, Alta.

Board of directors, R. J. McDougall, Penticton, B. C., Herald; F. P. Galbraith, Red Deer, Alta., Advocate; W. T. Morphy, Viscount, Sask., Sun; T. A. Love, Grand Forks, B. C., Gazette; S. J. Dorman, Alameda, Sask., Dispatch, and S. N. Wynn, Yorkton, Sask. Enterprise.

C. V. Charters of the Brampton, Ontario Conservator, was re-elected managing director and secretary.

THE HARVEST

Harvesting is in full swing on all sides. Some farmers through cutting, some about half done and some just started.

The A. P. and Pool elevators are taking deliveries of wheat daily, and most is grading No. 1. The recent rains are greatly helping the feed situation. Throughout the Province the yield is better than first expected and with the good price per bushel the return will be good. It is the individual farmers who have been hailed from 50 to 75 per cent who will suffer and unfortunately this number is a considerable one.

IN SEARCH OF RUSSIAN AVIATORS

Coppermine, N W T— Aug. 25. The Soviet-owned flying boat piloted by Herbert Hollick-Kenyon of Toronto and commanded By Sir Hubert Wilkins took off for the Polar regions Tuesday night, in a second attempt to locate six missing Russian fliers.

Loaded with 1,900 gallons of gas, estimated sufficient for a 4000 mile flight, the 117 ton flying boat headed toward the North Pole over a course similar to that taken Sunday night and Monday when dense fog forced the expedition to turn back without sighting the Soviet airmen missing since August 13.

LOCALS

Nick Chamberlain has been appointed Teacher at Serviceberry Creek School, following the resignation of Norman Ellis.

Wilson Walls had the misfortune to sprain his wrist quite badly and will need to wear it bandaged for several days.

Pretty Caller— Do you think the superintendent will see me now?

Bookkeeper— Certainly, madam, the superintendent always has time to see pretty girls.

Pretty Caller— Well tell him that his wife is here.

TRANSPORTATION HISTORY WAS MADE IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Man. August 26— A new phase in transportation history in Western Canada was revealed here this week when an official test run of the first 'automobile' to arrive in the west was conducted by the Canadian National Railways.

Those participating in the test run were the Premier of Manitoba and several cabinet ministers; the chairman of the Manitoba Public Utility Commission; the Mayors and officials of the cities of Winnipeg and St. Boniface; and representatives of the Winnipeg Board of Trade.

To demonstrate the flexibility of the new type of railway passenger unit, the car made various calls around the city to pick up its passengers and left by the highway for Transcona. Just west of Transcona, the passengers alighted to watch the car leave the highway at a crossing and get on the railway line. The trip back to Winnipeg was made on the railway tracks. The entire trip, from its start at the Parliament Buildings, including two minutes to raft the car at the crossing, and return to Winnipeg, took only a few minutes over one hour and all passengers aboard expressed very keen enthusiasm over the new type of rail passenger unit, which will be placed in regular passenger service in Manitoba within a few days.

A freight unit of similar type is now being operated in Saskatchewan.

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Yet I believe in Spain, as firmly as ever I have believed in her in the past, and I believe that the millions of her citizens who still place country above party will in due time, in a reunited and prosperous land have their reward. There may be various opinions about kings, presidents, statesmen, demagogues and party politicians, but nobody who knows Spain and to whom she is is a second home can have the smallest doubt as to the intrinsic greatness of her people. If Nature has endowed her with richness history has crowned her again and again with laurels. High above tyrannical rulers, capricious favorites and vacillating governments she has risen, and high she will yet rise above even the fiercest party strife. For she retains those essential virtues without which, in the old warlike Europe, she could never have enjoyed her splendid past, and these same virtues, in the new Europe, now struggling, like herself, in the throes of rebirth, will give her a still more splendid future.

(Conclusion to "The Spanish Tragedy 1930-1936" by E. Allison Peers).

Neither the "have-not" nation nor the "have-not" individual, who would use violence to obtain his ends, is to be excused. But on the other hand, the "have" position is often open to question too. It is universally admitted for instance, that there would be far less danger of war today if the "have" Nations had made reasonable concessions to democratic Germany. The fact that they failed to do so may perhaps be accounted as one of the gravest mistakes of all times. In like manner history proves— witness the French Revolution, that the "haves" within a nation ultimately must make reasonable concessions to the "have-nots" if the latter are not to be tempted to wring such concessions by force. (From an Editorial "Christian Science Monitor". Aug. 17, 1937).

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THEY BROKE A MONOPOLY

One of the most interesting stories in the annals of Western Canada is the record of the achievement of grain producers in the overcrowding of the grain marketing monopoly which existed in the pioneer years. At one time in the history of the west a farmer couldn't load a car over a platform or dispose of his grain in any way save through a fine elevator, and then only on the terms dictated by the elevator company. Naturally such a monopolistic system created abuses. Grain producers successfully fought the monopoly and overcame it through the building up of co-operative institution of their own.

It is now a far cry to the days of the early struggles of the pioneer grain farmers but the co-operative movement has gone onward. In this province it finds its highest development in Alberta Pool Elevators, an organization owned and controlled by grain producers and operated for the benefit of all.

Alberta Pool Elevators has relentlessly fought for the welfare of the grain growing industry. Today it stand as a monument to the accomplishments of the pioneers in the co-operative movement. Farmers of the present age may know little of the struggles of older generations, but nevertheless they are being greatly benefitted thereby.

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CARSELAND

Miss Frances Cole of the Calgary General Hospital is spending her vacation with her parents Mr and Mrs C. E. Cole.

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Mr and Mrs W. Bergquist and son Arthur have returned from a motor trip to the coast.

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Mr and Mrs Hoover and Vivian have returned from Calgary where Mr Hoover attended the summer school.

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Mr and Mrs Arnold and Betty and Mrs Anderson of Nanton were visitors in town Sunday.

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Mrs R. E. Gray and Frances are guests at the home of Mr and Mrs K. Hilliard.

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Vera and Edna Stinson are visiting in Langdon for a few days.

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The C. G. I. T. Girls report a splendid time at camp, the only complaint being that the week was all too short.

FALL BARGAIN FARES TO PACIFIC COAST

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SCHOOL DAYS

"School Days! School Days!
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The year has many beginnings according to the line of work or interest in which one's inclination leads one.

For the farmer it is with the opening up of spring, the tilling of the soil in preparation for the sowing of the grain which in turn furnishes food for man and the animals of the lower order, which continue the cycle on and on throughout the ages. For the devotee of winter sport, year begins when Jack Frost turns water to ice and snow and makes possible skating, hockey, snowshoeing, tobogganing, skiing, etc. For the lover of the summer sports the year begins, when Jack Frost has given way to the sun of summer and the yachtsman, the baseball, tennis and golf enthusiasts revel in the joy of their particular fancy.

But for thousands of varying ages from Halifax to Vancouver the year begins with the opening of school, whether it be in the primary rooms, the High School grdes, the universities or the Normal schools of the Dominion. If not first, this beginning stands a very close second for the opening of school, opens up a vista of unforeseen possibilities for both teacher and pupil. For little Bobby or Mary the first day of school is faced with an uncertain mixture of awe, timidity, and joy. The consequences of which react throughout the years, and are fraught with tremendous responsibility.

The hickory stick has grown pretty obsolete, a better method being employed by the better teachers.

To the three r's have been added such a multiplicity of subjects, that to the conscientious student seem almost bewildering and requires of the successful teacher, initiative, and qualifications of a high standard. The teaching profession can no longer, as in days past, be used as a stepping stone to supposed higher professions. It has reached a standard now, that to successfully carry on, the teacher has necessarily to be wholly inbued with the magnitude of his profession

An exchange says— "The father who has denied himself that his boy or girl might have a good education has done more for that child than if he had given him great wealth. He cannot help but feel proud when he sees his factory turning out great quantities of useful goods; he is greatly pleased when the mine which he discovered and developed proves a veritable bonanza; he is generally congratulated when his business ventures bring him a most fortunate return; but none of these can possibly know the joy which comes to the man who has helped to make a man. The worker who has somehow succeeded in putting his chief investments into humanity, and seen the result in human happiness and human development is blessed beyond all others.

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E. L. GRAY ON IRRIGATION

Five hundred thousand acres of irrigated land would stabilize 10,000,000 acres of ranch land and make permanent the livestock industry which was the start of South Alberta agriculture, E. L. Gray, manager of the Irrigation District told an audience of farmers and ranchers the other day at Brooks.

"That is a new vision of irrigation not generally held even in this district where irrigation has now been practiced for some 30 years. But we can see a great truth in what Mr Gray said, and his suggestion should receive more than just passing notice.

"One acre of irrigated land will grow enough feed to stabilize 20 acres of range land. That is the basis of Mr Gray's statement. The dry land operator raising cattle or sheep can buy feed from the irrigator to keep his herds in years of short pasture, while the irrigator can buy cattle and sheep from the rancher to eat the fodder and grain from hi land under the ditch. In this way irrigation become a sort of co-operative enterprise that will help both the rancher and the irrigator."

If we could get irrigation water spread oer our country so that even 10 per cent o fthe land could be actually watered this great inland empire would be one of the most productive spots in Western Canada. Instead of being driven away by hard circumstances people would flock back here. Our land is fertile. Railways, roads, schools, telephones and other necessities of modern life are readily available and conditions should be such as to make it profitable for present occupants to remain here. —Hanna Herald.

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LANGDON

Mr W. Kernaghan of Coldwater, Michigan came on a surpric visit to his brother D. Kernaghan, Sr. and family. The brothers had not met for over sixteen years.

Mr and Mrs C. Buehler and two children of Walla Walla, Washington arrived on August 16th for a visit at the home of Mrs Buehler's parents Mr and Mrs W. Braden.

Mrs E. Gammon and children of Calgary are enjoying a visit at the J. J. Colwell home.

Tom Kernaghan left for his home in Chicago on Sunday after a stay of two months with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs D. Kernaghan.

A two day glove making demonstration is being held in the W. I. rooms on Thursday and Friday afternoons at 1.30 sharp. Miss Jean Gordon will be in charge.

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Cheadle—
2.30 p.m.— Worship.
Strathmore—
11 a.m. Church School.
7.30 p.m. Worship.
Sunday School and Evening Service will be discontinued during the month of August.

Rev. V. M. Gilbert.
Pianist and Choir Leader—
Miss E. Hirtle, Graduate Mount Allison Conservatory.

ST. MICHAEL'S AND ALL ANGELS' CHURCH
Sunday, August 29th, 1937

Following the regular Summer schedule until the end of August the only service, August 29th will be the service of Evensong at 7.30 p.m. At that service Rev. Lang will announce arrangements for Sunday School and future services.

Celebration of Holy Communion with Sermon at 11 a.m.
Rector— Rev. Geo. W. Lang, B.A. L.th.
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Choir Master, Mr. G. H. Patrick

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